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PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2622

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shuji OTSUKA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2622

Application No.: 09/237,896

Examiner: J. Pokrzywa

Filed: January 27, 1999

Docket No.: 102640

For: **FACSIMILE DEVICE AND MEMORY STORING COMPUTER PROGRAMS FOR CONTROLLING THE FACSIMILE DEVICE**

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the July 21, 2004 Office Action, the period for response being extended by the attached Notice of Appeal and Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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